

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE, PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE		DATE: 9 May 2006 (09.05. 2006)
TRANSMITTAL LETTER TO THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US) CONCERNING A FILING UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371		U.S. APPLICATION NO. (if known) Not yet assigned 10/578690
INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO.: PCT/EP2004/012705	INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE: 10 November 2004 (10.11.2004)	PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED: 10 November 2003 (10.11.2003) DE
TITLE OF INVENTION: USE OF A SOLUTION COMPRISING AT LEAST ONE NONIONIC SURFACTANT		
APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US: MAIER, Ursula		
<p>Applicant hereby submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> This is a FIRST submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371. <input type="checkbox"/> This is a SECOND or SUBSEQUENT submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 USC 371(f)). The submission must include items(5), (6), (9) and (21) indicated below. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The US has been elected (Article 31). <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)): <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> is transmitted herewith (required only if not transmitted by the International Bureau). <input type="checkbox"/> has been communicated by the International Bureau. <input type="checkbox"/> is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US) <input type="checkbox"/> A English translation of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)). <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)) <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> are attached hereto (required only if not transmitted by the International Bureau). <input type="checkbox"/> have been communicated by the International Bureau. <input type="checkbox"/> have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> have not been made and will not be made. <input type="checkbox"/> An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)). <input type="checkbox"/> An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)). <input type="checkbox"/> A translation of the annexes to the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)). <p>ITEMS 11 to 20 BELOW CONCERN OTHER DOCUMENT(S) OR INFORMATION INCLUDED:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98. <input type="checkbox"/> An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included. <input type="checkbox"/> A FIRST preliminary amendment. <input type="checkbox"/> A SECOND or SUBSEQUENT preliminary amendment <input type="checkbox"/> A substitute specification. <input type="checkbox"/> A change of power of attorney and/or address letter. <input type="checkbox"/> A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13ter2 and 35 USC 1821 - 1825 <input type="checkbox"/> A second copy of the published international application under 35 USC 154(d)(4) <input type="checkbox"/> A second copy of the English language translation of the international application under 35 USC 154(d)(4) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other items or information: TRANSMITTAL FORM WITH FEE CALCULATION; INTERNATIONAL PUBLICATION 2005/0449651 A1; INTERNATIONAL PUBLICATION DATE 19 MAY 2005 (19.05.2005) WITH SEARCH REPORT; ORIGINALLY FILED APPLICATION IN GERMAN WHICH CONSISTS OF 19 PAGES INCLUDING: 12 PAGES TEXTUAL SPECIFICATION, 6 PAGES OF 26 CLAIMS, 1 PAGE OF THE ABSTRACT; 0 SHEETS DRAWINGS; UNEXECUTED INVENTOR'S DECLARATION; FORM PCT/IB/304-NOTIFICATION CONCERNING TRANSMITTAL OF PRIORITY DOCUMENT; PCT REQUEST. 		

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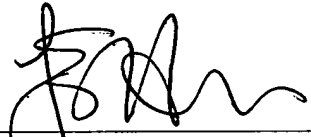
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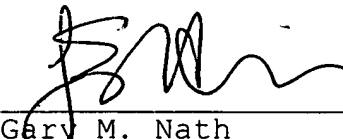
Sir:

Submitted herewith for filing in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office is the following:

- (1) Transmittal Letter
- (2) Transmittal Letter To U.S. Designated/Elected Office
(DO/EO/US) Concerning Filing under 35 U.S.C. 371
- (3) International Publication No: WO 2005/044965 A1
International Publication Date: 19 May 2005 (19.05.2005)
With Search Report;
- (4) Originally filed application in German which consists of 19
ages including:
 - 12 pages Textual Specification,
 - 6 pages of 26 claims,
 - 1 page of the Abstract,
 - 0 sheets of Drawings;
- (5) Unexecuted Inventor's Declaration;
- (6) Form PCT/IB/304 . Notification Concerning Transmittal of
Priority Document;
- (7) PCT Request;
- (8) Check No. 2106 \$ 600.00 for Government Filing Fee,
Search Fee, Examination Fee and 6 additional claim over 20
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- (9) Postcard for early notification of serial number.

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